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"HILL TOP" JEWELL VARIETIES

FOR SEVERAL YEARS we have been striving to produce a line of Jewell type Chrysanthemums in different colors. The following five varieties are the result of selections from thousands of hand pollinated seedlings and represent six years of work in breeding. All have characteristic Jewell flowers with slight variations in form as described. All are upright in habit except Dwarf Jewell and range in height from sixteen inches to thirty-six inches. Blooming season is somewhat earlier than regular Jewell especially for Yellow, White and Orchid Jewell. These varieties have been very popular at our exhibits, we suggest you try these and let your customers see them in bloom next fall.

WHITE JEWELL (#260 Sb x J). Upright and sturdy with abundant white Jewell shaped flowers.

ORCHID JEWELL (#190, J x G1). A new shade in the popular Jewell variety. Small compact sprays of light orchid-pink flowers on 24 inch stems.

YELLOW JEWELL (#160, J x Jud.A). Imagine perfectly formed ball shaped one and three-fourths inch flowers of a pleasing shade of yellow with an attractive undertone of bronze.

PURPLE JEWELL (#369, J x 278). A tall stately variety with great sprays of amaranth purple flowers. Flowers are somewhat larger than Jewell and are very attractive. One of our most popular varieties.

DWARF JEWELL (#250, J x Am). At last a Jewell type of flower on a compact cushion shaped plant. The flowers are as perfectly formed as those of Jewell but are larger and produced in such quantities that the foliage of the plant is obscured. Color is a soft lavender that is very pleasing. A thrifty plant attaining a height of about 14 inches and a width of 20 inches. Blooms in late September. This variety has been very popular at our exhibitions and is different from any offered so far.

PRICES ON THE ABOVE FIVE VARIETIES

Rooted Cuttings, 100 for \$25.00; 1000 for \$200.00.

25 at the 100 rate, more than 100 at the 1000 rate.

POPULAR STANDARD VARIETIES

EUGENE A. WANDER. Large shaggy double glistening yellow flowers on bushy 18 inch plants. In full bloom in early September.

Rooted Cuttings, 100 for \$12.00; 1000 for \$100.00

MRS. PIERRE S. duPONT. Well shaped large double lovely soft peach pink flowers. Vigorous $2\frac{1}{2}$ to 3 ft. plants. In full bloom in early October. Excellent for cutting.

Rooted Cuttings, 100 for \$12.00; 1000 for \$100.00.

SEPT. GOLD. Brilliant golden-yellow pompon. Free flowering plant about 18 inches high. Blooms continuously from mid September on. Good for cutting.

Rooted cuttings, 100 for \$15.00; 1000 for \$125.00.

KING MIDAS. Large double flowers of a lovely soft yellow with rich bronze tinting. One of the best for cutting. Early. Ht. 30 inches.

Rooted Cuttings, 100 for \$5.00; 1000 for \$45.00.

POMPONETTE. A neat well shaped plant 12 inches high bearing an abundance of perfectly shaped flowers resembling balls of golden yellow butter. Very early. Very good for potting.

Rooted Cuttings, 100 for \$6.00; 1000 for \$55.00.

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PRICES ON THE FOLLOWING 11 VARIETIES

Rooted Cuttings, 100 for \$5.00; 1000 for \$45.00.

ALGONQUIN. Double, brilliant yellow, very early.

ARABY. Double, port-wine red, early.

CRIMSON SPLENDOR, Single, crimson-garnet, early.

GLOMERO, Double, orange, early.

JEWELL. Double, lilac-pink, mid-season.

LOUISE SCHLING. Single, coppery-red, early.

SARANAC, Double, brilliant yellow, early.

SEPT. QUEEN. Double, white, very early.

TASIVA. Double, white with cream center, early.

VENUS. Single, old rose, early.

VESTA. Single, Golden orange with yellow halo, early.

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